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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

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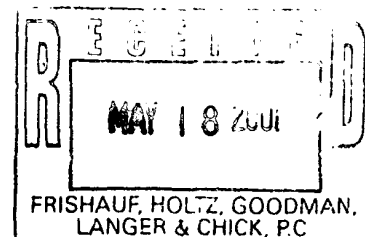
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
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Applicant(s): M. MORISHITA, ET AL
Serial No. : 09/824,281
Filed : April 2, 2001
For : METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
GLASS PARTS FOR CONNECTING
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Art Unit : 1731
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Attention: Application Branch

S I R :

Responsive to the Patent Office Notice mailed May 11, 2001,
the term for response to which expires on July 11, 2001, submitted
herewith is a Declaration executed by the inventors referring to
the application by serial number and filing date.

A check for \$130.00 is enclosed to cover the Patent Office fee
for submission of the signed Declaration.

RE: SECOND INVENTOR'S FIRST NAME


The correct name for the second-listed inventor is

Katsuya KAMISAKU

The enclosed executed Declaration includes the correct spelling of
the second inventor's first name. This name was incorrectly set

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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Attorney: Leonard Holtz

Dated: May 31, 2001

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forth in the transmittal letter dated April 2, 2001.

It is respectfully requested that the Patent Office correct its records so that the correct spelling of the first name of the second-listed inventor is set forth in Patent Office records.


It is further requested that when the Patent Office issues the next Filing Receipt that it includes the correct spelling of the second-named inventor's first name. A copy of the first Filing Receipt marked-up in red is attached showing the correction thereon.

The filing of the executed Declaration submitted herewith under 37 CFR 1.63, after the application is filed, serves to set forth the correct inventorship of the application (37 CFR 1.48(f)).

Authorization is given to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment, to Account No. 06-1378.

It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed.

Respectfully submitted,



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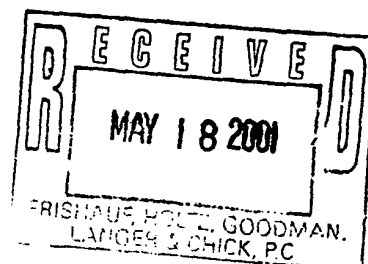
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